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- (4) the Company fails for any reason to deliver a certificate evidencing any Securities to a Buyer within three Trading Days after delivery of such certificate is required pursuant to any Transaction Document or the exercise rights of the Buyers pursuant to the Warrants are otherwise suspended for any reason; or
- (5) the Company fails to have available a sufficient number of authorized but unissued and otherwise unreserved shares of Common Stock available to issue Warrant Shares upon any exercise of the Warrants or, except as a result of the Excluded Events, during the Effectiveness Period, any Common Shares or Warrant Shares are not listed on the New York Stock Exchange, the American Stock Exchange, The NASDAQ National Market or The NASDAQ SmallCap Market (an "Eligible Market").
- Notwithstanding anything in this Agreement to the contrary, after 30 consecutive Trading Days of continuous effectiveness of the Registration Statement filed and declared effective pursuant to this Agreement, the Company may, by written notice to the Buyers, suspend sales under a Registration Statement after the Effective Date thereof and/or require that the Buyers immediately cease the sale of shares of Common Stock pursuant thereto and/or defer the filing of any subsequent Registration Statement if the Company is engaged in a material merger, acquisition or sale and the Board of Directors determines in good faith, by appropriate resolutions, that, as a result of such activity, (A) it would be materially detrimental to the Company (other than as relating solely to the price of the Common Stock) to maintain a Registration Statement at such time and (B) it is in the best interests of the Company to defer proceeding with such registration at such time. Upon receipt of such notice, each Buyer shall immediately discontinue any sales of Registrable Securities pursuant to such registration until such Buyer has received copies of a supplemented or amended Prospectus or until such Buyer is advised in writing by the Company that the then-current Prospectus may be used and has received copies of any additional or supplemental filings that are incorporated or deemed incorporated by reference in such Prospectus. In no event, however, shall this right be exercised to suspend sales beyond the period during which (in the good faith determination of the Company's Board of Directors) the failure to require such suspension would be materially detrimental to the Company. The Company's rights under this Section 6(b)(v) may be exercised for a period of no more than 20 consecutive Trading Days at a time or 30 Trading Days in any twelve-month period, without such suspension being considered as part of an Event Payment determination. Immediately after the end of any suspension period under this Section 6(b)(y), the Company shall take all necessary actions (including filing any required supplemental prospectus) to restore the effectiveness of the applicable Registration Statement and the ability of the Buyers to publicly resell their Registrable Securities pursuant to such effective Registration Statement.
- (c) <u>Registration Procedures</u>. In connection with the Company's registration obligations hereunder, the Company shall:
- (i) Not less than three Trading Days prior to the filing of a Registration Statement or any related Prospectus or any amendment or supplement thereto (including any document that would be incorporated or deemed to be incorporated therein by reference), furnish to the Buyers copies of all such documents proposed to be filed, which documents (other than those incorporated or deemed to be incorporated by reference) will be subject to the review of such Buyers. The Company shall reflect in each such document when so filed with the SEC such comments as the Buyers may reasonably and promptly propose.

(ii) (A) Subject to Section 6(b)(v), prepare and file with the SEC such amendments, including post-effective amendments, to each Registration Statement and the Prospectus used in connection therewith as may be necessary to keep the Registration Statement continuously effective, as to the applicable Registrable Securities for the Effectiveness Period and prepare and file with the SEC such additional Registration Statements in order to register for resale under the Securities Act all of the Registrable Securities; (ii) cause the related Prospectus to be amended or supplemented by any required Prospectus supplement, and as so supplemented or amended to be filed pursuant to Rule 424; (iii) respond as promptly as reasonably possible, and in any event within 12 Trading Days (except to the extent that the Company reasonably requires additional time to respond to accounting comments), to any comments received from the SEC with respect to the Registration Statement or any amendment thereto and as promptly as reasonably possible provide to Buyers, upon request, true and complete copies of all correspondence from and to the SEC relating to the Registration Statement; and (iv) comply in all material respects with the provisions of the Securities Act and the Exchange Act with respect to the disposition of all Registrable Securities covered by the Registration Statement during the applicable period in accordance with the intended methods of disposition by the Buyers thereof set forth in the Registration Statement as so amended or in such Prospectus as so supplemented.

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Notify the Buyers as promptly as reasonably possible of any of the following events: (i) the SEC notifies the Company whether there will be a "review" of any Registration Statement; (ii) the SEC comments in writing on any Registration Statement; (iii) any Registration Statement or any posteffective amendment is effective; (iv) the SEC or any other Federal or state governmental authority requests any amendment or supplement to any Registration Statement or Prospectus or requests additional information related thereto; (v) the SEC issues any stop order suspending the effectiveness of any Registration Statement or initiates any action, claim, suit, investigation or proceeding (including, without limitation, investigation or partial proceeding, such as a deposition), whether commenced or threatened in writing (a "Proceeding") for that purpose; (vi) the Company receives notice of any suspension of the qualification or exemption from of qualification any Registrable Securities for sale in any jurisdiction, or the initiation or threat of any Proceeding for such purpose; or (vii) the financial statements included in any Registration

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ineligible Statement become inclusion therein or any statement made in any Registration Statement or Prospectus OT any document deemed incorporated to be OI incorporated therein by reference is untrue in any material respect or any revision to a Registration Statement, Prospectus or other document is required so that it will not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state any material fact required to be stated therein or necessary to make the statements therein, in the light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading.

Use its reasonable best efforts to avoid the issuance of or, if issued, obtain the withdrawal of (i) any order suspending the effectiveness of any Registration Statement, or (ii) any suspension of the qualification (or exemption from qualification) of any of the Registrable Securities for sale in any jurisdiction, as soon as possible.

If requested by a Buyer, provide such Buyer, without charge, at least one conformed copy of each Registration Statement and each amendment thereto, including financial statements and schedules, and all exhibits to the extent requested by such Person (including those previously furnished or incorporated by reference) promptly after the filing of such documents with the SEC.

Promptly deliver to each Buyer, without charge, as many copies of the Prospectus or Prospectuses (including each form of prospectus) and each amendment or supplement thereto as such Persons may reasonably request. The Company hereby consents to the use of such Prospectus and each amendment or supplement thereto by each of the selling

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Buyers in connection with the offering and sale of the Registrable Securities covered by such Prospectus and any amendment or supplement thereto to the extent permitted by federal and state securities laws and regulations.

(i) In the time and manner required by each Principal Market, prepare and file with such Principal Market an additional shares listing application covering all of the Registrable Securities; (ii) take all steps necessary to cause Registrable Securities to be approved for listing on each Principal Market as soon as possible thereafter; (iii) provide to Buyers, upon request, evidence of such listing; and (iv) except as a result of the Excluded Events, during Effectiveness Period, maintain the listing of such Registrable Securities on each such Principal Market or another Eligible Market.

Prior to any public offering of Registrable Securities, use its reasonable best efforts to register or qualify or cooperate with the selling in connection with the registration or qualification (or exemption from such registration or qualification) of such Registrable Securities for offer and sale under the securities or Blue Sky laws of such jurisdictions within the United States as any Buyer requests in writing, to keep each such registration or qualification (or exemption therefrom) effective for so long as required, but not to exceed the duration of the Effectiveness Period, and to do any and all other acts or things reasonably necessary or advisable to enable the disposition in such iurisdictions of the Registrable Securities covered by a Registration Statement; provided, however, that the Company shall not be obligated to file any general consent to service of process or to qualify as a foreign corporation or

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as a dealer in securities in any jurisdiction in which it is not so qualified or to subject itself to taxation in respect of doing business in any jurisdiction in which it is not otherwise so subject.

Cooperate with the Buyers to facilitate the timely preparation and delivery of certificates representing Registrable Securities to be delivered to a transferee pursuant to a Registration Statement, which certificates shall be free, to the extent permitted by this Agreement and under law, of all restrictive legends, and to enable such Registrable Securities to be in such denominations and registered in such names as any such Buyers may reasonably request.

Upon the occurrence of any event described in Section 6(c)(ii)(B)(iv), as promptly as reasonably possible, prepare a supplement or amendment, including a post-effective amendment, to the Registration Statement or a supplement to the related Prospectus or any document incorporated or deemed to be incorporated therein by reference, and file any other required document so that, as thereafter delivered, neither the Registration Statement nor such Prospectus will contain an untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact required to be stated therein or necessary to make the statements therein, in the light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading.

Cooperate with any reasonable due diligence investigation undertaken by the Buyers in connection with the sale of Registrable Securities, including, without limitation, by making available documents and information; provided that the Company will not deliver or make available to any Buyer material, nonpublic information unless such

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